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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MOPS, CY, TU, GR

SUBJ: CYPRUS SITUATION

UK AMBASSADOR HERE HAS JUST CALLED ME TO REPORT FOL SITREP  
WHICH HE HAD JUST RECEIVED FROM UK HICOM IN CYPRUS. SITREP IS  
AS OF 0600 GMT JULY 24.

"NICOSIA GENERALLY QUIET. ONLY SPORADIC BURSTS AUTOMATIC  
FIRE GREEN LINE AREA NEAR HICOM. TRAFFIC BEGINNING TO  
MOVE. SHOPS APPEAR TO BE GETTING READY TO OPEN. SOME  
WINDOWS BROKEN AND BRANCHES OF TREES LYING IN ROAD. STRUCTURE  
OF LEDRA PALACE INTACT BUT CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO CAR IN CAR  
PARK. MUCH GLASS BROKEN. BUILDING IN HANDS UN.  
NO SIGN ANY DAMAGE TO GREEK EMBASSY. OPPOSITE GREEK EMBASSY  
ANGLICAN CHURCH AND ARCHDEACON'S HOUSE UNTOUCHED.  
NO MORTAR CRATERS IN ROADS AROUND GREEK EMBASSY.  
BRITISH COUNCIL PREMISES IN VICINITY ALSO UNTOUCHED. UNFICYP  
HAS JUST COMPLETED RECONNAISSANCE IN AREA AROUND HICOM.  
NO GREEK OR TURK SOLDIERS IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY. AREA  
VIRTUALLY DESERTED. TURK FLAG FLYING FROM BLOCK OF  
FLATS ABOUT 700 YARDS WEST OF GREEN LINE".

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